PUBLIC DEBT NEWS



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CONTACT: Office of Financing

28-Day Bill

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\$46,286,059,700

TREASURY AUCTION RESULTS

High Rate ¹		0.100%
Allotted at High		69.92%
Price		99.992222
Investment Rate ²		0.101%
Median Rate ³		0.090%
Low Rate 4		0.070%
Issue Date		March 22, 2012
Maturity Date		April 19, 2012
	Tendered	Accepted
Competitive	\$159,254,782,000	\$39,773,998,000
Noncompetitive	\$226,990,000	\$226,990,000
FIMA (Noncompetitive)	\$0	\$0
Subtotal ⁵	\$159,481,772,000	\$40,000,988,000 ⁶
SOMA	\$6,285,071,700	\$6,285,071,700

Primary Dealer ⁷	Tendered \$135,800,000,000	Accepted \$29,104,240,000
Direct Bidder 8	\$17,130,000,000	\$4,344,976,000
Indirect Bidder 9	\$6,324,782,000	\$6,324,782,000
Total Competitive	\$\overline{159,254,782,000}	\$39,773,998,000

\$165,766,843,700

Total

¹All tenders at lower rates were accepted in full.

²Equivalent coupon-issue yield.

³50% of the amount of accepted competitive tenders was tendered at or below that rate.

⁴5% of the amount of accepted competitive tenders was tendered at or below that rate.

⁵Bid-to-Cover Ratio: \$159,481,772,000/\$40,000,988,000 = 3.99

⁶Awards to combined Treasury Direct systems = \$113,614,700.

⁷Primary dealers as submitters bidding for their own house accounts.

⁸Non-Primary dealer submitters bidding for their own house accounts.

⁹Customers placing competitive bids through a direct submitter, including Foreign and International Monetary Authorities placing bids through the Federal Reserve Bank of New York.